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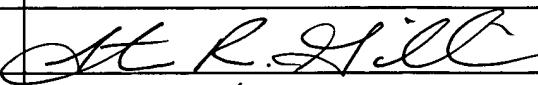
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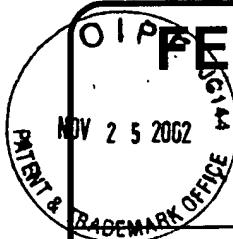
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See 37 CFR 1.27

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Fee Code (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)				

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	50	47** =	3	X	18	=	54.	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	8	- 7** =	1	X	84	=	84.		
Multiple Dependent									

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9
102	84	202	42
104	280	204	140
109	84	209	42
110	18	210	9
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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed August 14, 2002, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

AMENDMENTS

In the Specification:

Please replace the specification with the attached clean substitute specification in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121(b)(3). A marked up version of the substitute specification is also attached.

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows. A clean version of the amended claims are provided below and a version showing changes follows the remarks in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121(c)(3).

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